

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

The embodiments of the invention in which an exclusive property or privilege is claimed are defined as follows:

1. A golf divot repair tool comprising:
 - a body,
 - at least one pointed arm extending from said body,
 - a depression in said body,
 - a magnetic material disposed in said depression,
 - a ball marker constructed at least partially of a material attracted by magnetism and adapted to be releasably held in said depression by said magnetic material, and
 - an opening formed through said body at said depression.
2. The golf divot repair tool of claim 1, wherein said opening is circular and has a diameter in the range of from 5 to 40 mm.
3. A golf divot repair tool comprising:
 - a body,
 - at least one pointed arm extending from said body,
 - a depression in said body,
 - a magnetic material disposed in said depression,
 - a ball marker constructed at least partially of a material attracted by magnetism and adapted to be releasably held in said depression by said magnetic material,
 - an opening formed through said body at said depression, and
 - a movable member disposed in said opening which, when moved, moves the ball marker, when the ball marker is held in the depression, away from the magnetic material a sufficient distance to release the ball marker from the depression.

4. The golf divot repair tool of any one of claims 1 to 3, wherein said magnetic material comprises at least two magnets circumferentially spaced about the depression.
5. The golf divot repair tool of any one of claims 1 to 3, wherein said magnetic material is an annular magnet centered about the depression.